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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 9th Saturday in 1923 (3rd March 1923).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday: This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1923: This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		Seers	Seers	Seers
BANGALORE.														
Bangalore C. & M. Station ...	0	00	0	00	0	...	...	...	...	...				
„ City & Taluk ...	0	00	0	00	0	32	0	48	—	0 16				
Hoskote ...	0	00	0	00	0	25	0	35	—	0 10				
Dodballapur ...	0	00	0	00	0	60	0	39	+	0 21	Rice, 2nd sort	4·50	4·50	7·00
Nelamangala ...	0	00	0	00	0	43	0	30	+	0 13	Ragi	9·50	9·50	16·00
Kankanhalli ...	0	00	0	00	0	29	0	34	—	0 05				
Magadi ...	0	00	0	00	0	72	0	40	+	0 32	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	12·00
Channapatna ...	0	19	0	00	0	46	0	17	+	0 29				
Anekal ...	0	00	0	00	0	42	0	45	—	0 03	Kadale	6·00	6·00	7·00
Devanhalli ...	0	00	0	00	0	38	0	55	—	0 17				
Closepet ...	0	00	0	00	0	28	0	16	+	0 12				
District average...	0	08	0	00	0	41	0	36	+	0 05				
KOLAR.														
Kolar ...	0	06	0	14	0	76	0	73	+	0 03				
Bowringpet ...	0	20	0	38	1	32	1	06	+	0 26	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·00	5·50
Chintamani ...	0	00	0	15	0	33	0	49	—	0 16	Ragi	9·00	9·00	12·50
Mulbagal ...	0	66	0	15	0	90	0	86	+	0 04				
Sidlaghatta ...	0	00	0	11	0	40	0	67	—	0 27	Kulthi	10·00	9·50	10·25
Chikballapur ...	0	15	0	30	0	55	0	71	—	0 16				
Bagepalli ...	0	39	0	12	0	59	0	27	+	0 32	Kadale	4·75	4·75	6·00
Goribidnur ...	0	90	0	08	1	10	0	45	+	0 65				
Malur ...	0	00	0	04	0	56	0	58	—	0 02				
Srinivaspur ...	0	11	0	06	0	39	0	71	—	0 32				
Gudibanda ...	0	00	0	39	0	60	0	62	—	0 02				
District average ...	0	22	0	17	0	68	0	65	+	0 03				
TUMKUR.														
Tumkur ...	0	00	0	00	0	40	0	28	+	0 12				
Maddagiri ...	0	07	0	00	0	07	0	67	—	0 60	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	8·00
Chiknayakanhalli ...	0	00	0	00	0	24	0	46	—	0 22	Ragi	9·50	9·50	18·00
Sira ...	0	00	0	00	0	13	0	68	—	0 55				
Gubbi ...	0	00	0	00	0	28	0	31	—	0 03	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	10·00
Tiptur ...	0	00	0	00	0	13	0	18	—	0 05				
Pavagada ...	0	00	0	00	0	15	0	79	—	0 64	Kadale	5·00	5·00	8·80
Kunigal ...	0	00	0	00	0	55	0	27	+	0 28				
Koratag ere ...	0	50	0	00	0	55	0	37	+	0 18				
Turuv ekere ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	39	—	0 39				
District average	0	06	0	00	0	25	0	44	—	0 19				

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday										Prices of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1923				Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
					This year		Average of past ten years							
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE.												Seers	Seers	Seers
Mysore	0	00	0	03	0	00	0	39	—	0 39	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·00	6·00	6·06
Chamrajnagar	0	20	0	03	0	20	0	33	—	0 13	Ragi	10·00	10·00	13·04
Seringapatam	0	00	0	02	0	44	0	39	+	0 05	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	11·15
Hunsur	0	00	0	18	0	00	0	63	—	0 63	Kadale	4·50	5·00	6·11
Yedatore	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	32	—	0 32				
Heggaddevankote	0	00	0	06	0	00	0	43	—	0 43				
Gundlupet	0	10	0	00	0	29	0	30	—	0 01				
Nanjangud	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	63	—	0 63				
T.-Narsipur	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	47	—	0 47				
Malvalli	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	15	—	0 15				
Mandya	0	00	0	04	0	16	0	46	—	0 30				
Krishnarajpete	0	00	0	00	0	44	0	43	+	0 01				
Nagamangala	0	00	0	15	0	40	0	62	—	0 22				
District average...	0	02	0	04	0	15	0	43	—	0 28				
HASSAN.														
Hassan	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	72	—	0 72	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	6·00
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	1	38	0	00	1	65	0	40	+	0 25	Ragi	10·00	10·00	14·00
Arkalgud	0	86	0	00	0	94	0	52	+	0 42	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	12·00
Belur	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	43	—	0 43	Kadale	5·00	5·00	6·00
Channarayapatna	0	10	0	00	0	21	0	26	—	0 05				
Arsikere	0	00	0	00	0	23	0	63	—	0 40				
Holé-Narsipur	0	00	0	00	0	29	0	25	+	0 04				
Alur	0	35	0	00	0	43	0	54	—	0 11				
District average...	0	34	0	00	0	47	0	47	—	0 00				
SHIMOGA.														
Shimoga	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	64	—	0 64	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·40	5·50	6·23
Channagiri	0	32	0	00	0	45	0	32	+	0 13	Ragi	11·00	11·00	13·90
Honnali	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	39	—	0 39	Kulthi	9·00	10·00	9·85
Shikarpur	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	19	—	0 19				
Sorab	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	32	—	0 32				
Sagar	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	38	—	0 38				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	33	—	0 33				
Tirthahalli	0	00	0	00	0	20	0	37	—	0 17				
Kumsi	0	00	0	00	0	15	0	34	—	0 19				
District average...	0	03	0	00	0	08	0	36	—	0 28				
KADUR.														
Chikmagalur	0	00	0	02	0	00	0	43	—	0 43	Rice 2nd sort.	6·00	6·00	5·00
Kadur	0	00	0	05	0	10	0	44	—	0 34	Ragi	10·00	10·00	11·00
Tarikere	0	00	0	04	0	07	0	56	—	0 49	Kulthi	9·00	9·00	8·00
Koppa	0	00	0	01	0	15	0	61	—	0 46	Kadale	7·00	7·50	6·00
Mudgere	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	40	—	0 40				
Narasimharajapura	0	00	0	00	0	18	0	41	—	0 23				
Sringeri	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	38	—	0 38				
District average...	0	00	0	02	0	07	0	46	—	0 39				
CHITALDRUG.														
Chitaldrug	0	08	0	00	0	08	0	74	—	0 66	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	6·00
Challakere	0	09	0	00	0	09	0	54	—	0 46	Ragi	12·00	12·00	14·00
Hiriyur	0	07	0	00	0	07	0	50	—	0 43	Kulthi	11·00	10·50	12·00
Holalkere	0	30	0	00	0	30	0	64	—	0 34	Cholum	11·00	11·00	13·00
Davangere	0	21	0	00	0	21	0	15	+	0 06	Kadale	7·00	7·00	4·00
Molakalmuru	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	53	—	0 53				
Jagalur	1	65	0	00	1	65	0	88	+	0 77				
Hosdurga	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	39	—	0 39				
Haribar	0	27	0	00	0	27	0	48	—	0 21				
District average...	0	30	0	00	0	30	0	54	—	0 24				
Provincial average ...	0	13	0	03	0	30	0	46	—	0 16				

NOTE—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana. Kadale—(Bengal gram) Cicer Arietinum.

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DISTRICT REPORT.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public Health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.—

		Average.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains.—Boiled rice (2nd sort)		4·815	5·17	Seers per rupee.
	Ragi	10·414	9·28	

Agricultural operations.—Ragi thrashing is going on. The standing crops are fair. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on for sowing Vaisakhi paddy in Hoskote Taluk and sugar-cane in Nelamangala Taluk. The raiyats are carting manure to the fields in Dodballapur and Nelamangala Taluks.

Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane in Bangalore Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks; paddy in Bangalore, Nelamangala, Magadi, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks; and mulberry in Devanhalli Taluk and Closepet Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in all the taluks, sugar-cane in Bangalore, Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks; paddy in Bangalore, Nelamangala and Magadi Taluks.

Estimated yield.—Ragi 8 annas in Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks, 8 to 12 annas in Magadi Taluk and 12 annas in Devanhalli Taluk, sugar-cane 12 annas in Kankanhalli Taluk and paddy 8 annas in Magadi Taluk.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good, except for plague in parts of Hoskote, Nelamangala, Magadi, Channapatna, Anekal, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Relapsing fever is reported from parts of Nelamangala Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Sugar-cane in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Sugar-cane in parts of the Chintamani, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; yield 12 annas. Avare and togari in parts of the Bowringpet Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane and togari are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season good. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of the Kolar, Chintamani Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks and relapsing fever in parts of the Bagepalli, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks.

12. Cattle healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.